

# THE HARTFORD HERALD

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28

## "GET A MAN FOR ME," SAID WOMAN

"And I Will Give \$200 to The Church."

### PASTOR TRYING TO PLEASE HER

No Restrictions, But the Fair Seeker Keeps Her Identity Hidden.

Chicago, April 22.—Dr. James Rowe, secretary of the City Missions of the M.E. Church, offers \$200 as a donation to any church that will furnish a husband to a comely Chicago woman who is in quest of a life companion. This woman has promised a donation of that amount to the minister if he succeeds in bringing about a happy ending of what has hitherto been a fruitless search on her part.

Dr. Rowe made an announcement of the offer to the congregation of the Halstead Institution Church, where an exhibition of the various clubs and athletic organizations was being held.

"On a recent Sunday evening," said Dr. Rowe, "after I had raised several thousand dollars for a new church, a woman stepped up to me and said: 'Dr. Rowe, it seems so easy for you to get money, I wish you would get a man for me.'"

"Do you mean it?" I asked. She assured me that she did, and in proof promised that if I was successful in securing her a husband she would make a donation of \$200 toward the church enterprise.

The woman is understood to live in an aristocratic portion of the North Shore, but the contract does not specify from what part of the city the husband is to come. Dr. Rowe insists that the offer is a bona fide one.

Rev. D. D. Vaughn, pastor of the Halstead Street Church, has offered to act as middleman to forward the names and descriptions of all suitors.

Dr. Rowe refuses to give the woman's name or address until he sees the applicant and is assured of the sincerity of his intentions.

### Dying Prayer Heard.

St. Louis, Mo., April 22.—Did Providence in answer to a dying woman's prayer allow the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burroughs to die that it might be buried in his mother's arms? This question is agitating a whole neighborhood in North St. Louis. Mrs. Burroughs was 29 years old.

The mother became ill three weeks ago and for 10 days lingered between life and death. Then her physician told her she probably would not recover. Calling for her baby, she fondled it, crying over it and hugging it to her breast. Then, lifting her eyes, she prayed fervently that if she died her baby might go with her. She passed away soon afterward.

The baby, which all the while had been in good health, was seized with convulsions. A physician could do nothing to aid it. Almost at the hour set for the mother's funeral the little one died.

### Food Value of Raisins.

The truth is not commonly known that raisins are a food of the highest quality—50 per cent. more nourishing than meat and far more healthful. Raisins are, indeed, the greatest health food ever produced, but while used merely as a sweetener, a luxury, their real value has remained unknown.

The sugar of the grape, matured and perfected in the raisin is, by scientific analysis and experience, superior to all other. It is required by the human system in moderate quantities, especially by children. For them as for the adult, raisins are far more healthful than any form of confectionery.

### Ohio County Base Ball League.

Quite a number of the lovers of base ball met at the office of Dr. C. G. Baxter, Wednesday evening and organized the Hartford Club. The following officers were selected: Manager C. G. Baxter, Captain, William Barker; Secretary and Treasurer, Josh Fields. The following young men will try for membership in the club: William Barker, John Daniel, Allison Barnett, Josh Fields, Cyrus Patton, Anestie Patton, Vig B. Morton, Jack Rander, Purd Casabier, Heg Casabier, C. G. Baxter, Robert Halliburton, Josh McKiff, Byron Foster and W. B. Carpenter.

It is expected that the club will cross bats with the Beda team at Be-

da, the first Saturday in May. It is the intention of the promoters of this club to encourage the organization of about nine clubs at different points in the county and then organize these clubs into a league for Ohio county, with headquarters at Hartford. The management has secured the Ohio County Fair grounds for the games which will be played at Hartford.

### HE HATED LONG PRAYERS.

And Well He Might After His Agonizing Experience.

"It happened," said the colonel, "that there were two colored preachers inhabiting cells in the penitentiary at Frankfort at the same time. If I remember aright, both were sentenced for polygamy, but old Sam was a Methodist parson, while old Jake was of the Baptist faith. It seems that Sam had done something to greatly offend the warden, and the punishment decided on was an old fashioned lashing. Some weeks after the affair came off the Rev. Sam, whom I had known from boyhood, was telling me about it.

"I didn't mind de whippin' so much, Mars Jack, ef it hadn't been for de way old Jake acted. You see, de warden he said to me: 'Sam, I's gwine to whip you and 'low de whippin' will do you a whole heap uv good. I's gwine to let old Jake pray fer you, and de blows will continue to fall on your black hide while Jake's pra'r is a-goin' on. When he comes to a final stop den de punishment will likewise end."

"Land sakes, Mars Jack, I knowed it was all up wid me den, for dat ignorant old nigger never did know when it was time to get up off'n his knees! De fac' dat a po' human bein' was in distress wasn't gwine to make a bit uv difference wid him. Well, sir, it was jes' like I 'spected it'd be. Dey brought me out, and old Jake, de old villun, started in, and as fast as he prayed de warden come down on me wid a whip dat cut like a knife. I never did want to hear a pra'r, but to an end so bad in my life, come it weren't any use. Every time I thought I was mos' through old Jake took a fresh hold, and down come de licks harder'n ever. Shorely it seemed to me like he prayed a month, and, Mars Jack, I wants to tell you right now dat I am sot against long pra'rs for de rest uv my life." — Washington Post.

### ROTTEN COTTON GLOVES.

The Origin of a One Time Popular Slang Phrase.

The origin of "rotten cotton gloves," a phrase which for some years belonged to the slang of England and America, is worth relating. At a time when John le Hay was playing at the Prince of Wales' he was "commanded" to give his ventriloquist performance at a birthday entertainment at Sandringham.

His two figures, the usual squeaky old lady and the usual rude old man, had been newly dressed for the occasion, that their clothes might not suffer too keenly by comparison with the rich surroundings. But when Mr. le Hay had placed them in position and was about to begin his "show" he found to his disgust that his costumer had forgotten to change the old man's dirty cotton gloves for a pair of new licks.

The tone of shabbiness this gave to the male figure was too conspicuous to be ignored by poor Mr. le Hay, and in an eternal half minute his quick wit found a way out of the trouble for him.

"A nice thing," remarked the male doll, looking around at the royal audience with alarm, "bringing me to a swell house like this in these terrible gloves!"

This caused so much amusement that the ventriloquist decided to make more of the "wheeze," and the badly behaved old gentleman's incessant grumble throughout the entertainment, "rotten cotton gloves," proved one of the chief successes of the evening.

The "line" was in all Mr. le Hay's subsequent performances in America as well as in England, and if, say, a man had had a bad deal in Wall street or in Throgmorton avenue it was the usual thing to say that he had a "rotten cotton deal."—London M. A. P.

### Johnny's Last Speech.

You'd scarcely expect one of my age, in merchandising to engage and hope to get a paying trade without the local paper's aid. And yet I did that very thing; I opened up a store last spring—this month the sheriff took my stock and sold it at the auction block. Don't view me with a scornful eye, but simply say as I pass by: "There goes a fool who seemed to think he had no use for printer's ink." There is a truth as broad as earth and business men should know its worth, 'tis simply this: The public buys its goods from those who advertise.

### In Fat Berth.

Towne—No, Grafton doesn't work at all now. Browne—He doesn't? Why, when I knew him he seemed to be a young man with considerable push. Towne—All that's changed now. He's "a young man with considerable pull" and doesn't have to work.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### POEMS

YOU'LL ENJOY.

The Herald's Special Selections.

MIGHT HAVE BEEN.

'Way out in the Sea of Vain Regret, Lies the Island of Might Have Been. It is walled about by the Cliffs of Remorse, Which are lashed by the Waves of Sin.

We who live in this flowery world, And have every hope before, Know not of those hearts in anguish wrung Who dwell there evermore.

Whose each sad smile tells a woeful tale Of years that were spent in vain, In the empty search for the joys of life, And woke from their dreams in pain.

Not a murmur tells of their poignant grief, Only a weary smile; But they long to flit on the Wings of Death Away from the sunless isle,

'Way out in the Sea of Vain Regret On the Island of Might Have Been. That is walled about by the Cliffs of Remorse, Which are lashed by the Waves of Sin.

—[Clarence Richard Lindner.

### MOTHER'S ADVICE.

My son, be this thy simple plan: Serve God and love thy brother man. Forget not in temptation's hour That sin lends sorrow double power. Count life a stage upon thy way, And follow conscience, come what may.

Alike with earth and heaven sincere With hand and head and bosom clear. Fear God and know no other fear.

M. ADELIA HENDRICK.

### Henry Morusky Adjudged Insane.

The Owensboro Messenger says: In Circuit Court on Wednesday morning Henry Morusky, a former employe of Elmer Miller, was found to be insane and the court ordered him sent to the asylum at Hopkinsville. He was arrested near Hartford, Ohio county, with a team belonging to Miller, which he had gone off with without the knowledge of the stableman. He had been employed for several years at the stable as driver of a coal wagon.

He was brought to Owensboro by Capt. James M. DeWeese Wednesday morning and turned over to Sheriff Harl. It was claimed that he told him that he could build railways and all kinds of engines and that he had been shot many times in the head by one of his conductors. A brother of Morusky testified that he had been hit in the head about five years ago with a rock and that the blow had affected his mind.

### Sacrifice Prevented.

"You refuse me because I have a title," said the count bitterly, "but I will relinquish it. I will become a plain citizen."

"How noble of you," responded the American heiress. "I, too, feel called upon to make sacrifice. I will relinquish my fortune, and then—Why he's gone!"

### The May Lippincotts a Banner Number.

Inauguration is over, the tariff is being attended to, business is getting better and better, and the weather is behaving itself beautifully. Therefore let Melancholy take to the woods. We'll have none of her. Even in our reading matter let us demand that which is pleasurable and optimistic. Both of these adjectives, by the way, aptly describe the May Lippincott's, which is filled from cover to cover with an assortment of stories and special articles, jokes and poetry, as varied as they are entertaining.

### Outdone.

"Ethel's a horrid thing!" "Why, I thought you were friends." "Well, we aren't any more. She has a more hideous hat than mine, and I told my milliner to go the limit."

### The Landlady's Reckoning.

As the stout man, whose appetite had excited the envy of the other boarders, turned to leave the parlor, he looked down at his waistcoat. "I declare, I've lost two buttons off my vest," he said, ruefully.

He was a new boarder, but the landlady saw no reason for further delay in showing her banner, "watchfulness and economy for all." She gave him the benefit of the chill gaze familiar to other boarders.

"I think, without doubt, you will find them both in the dining-room," she announced, clearly.

## Nervous Women

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